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Applicant: Toru UEDA et al.
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Filed: January 27, 2000 Examiner: Not Assigned
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS OF DATA TRANSFER
CONTROLLING DATA TRANSFER AMONG A PLURALITY OF
EQUIPMENTS CONNECTED TO A NETWORK AND MEDIUM
RECORDING THE PROGRAM THEREOF

LETTER

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

May 11, 2000

Sir:

Applicant wishes to advise the United States Patent and Trademark Office that a Declaration was filed on March 27, 2000 to perfect Applicant's filing requirements.

The filing requirements were perfected prior to the receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, a copy of which is attached hereto.

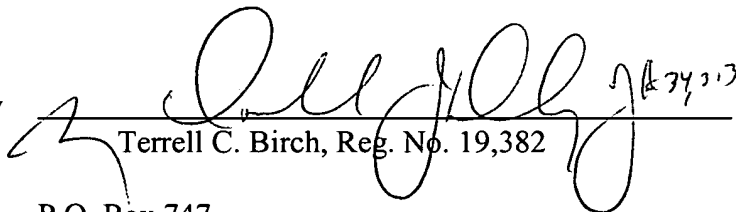
As evidence of Applicant's previous submission of a Declaration in connection with the present application, Applicant encloses a copy of the postcard indicating receipt of the Declaration by the United States Patent and Trademark Office and payment of the appropriate fees by the Applicant.

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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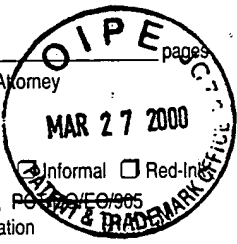
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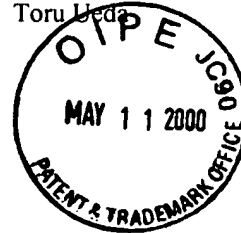
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)*****Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

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